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S. 1071

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MAY 28 (legislative day, APRIL 19), 1993

Mr. COCHRAN introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Governmental Affairs

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICERS DEATH BENEFITS**

4 **FOR CIVIL DEFENSE EMPLOYEES.**

5 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 1204 of the Omnibus
6 Crime Control and Safe Streets Act of 1968 (42 U.S.C.
7 3796b) is amended in paragraph (7) (relating to the defi-
8 nition of a public safety officer) by striking out “or rescue

1 squad or ambulance crew” and inserting in lieu thereof
2 “rescue squad or ambulance crew, or an employee of the
3 Federal Emergency Management Agency or civil defense
4 officer”.

5 (b) EFFECTIVE DATE.—The amendment made by
6 subsection (a) shall take effect on the date of enactment
7 of this Act and shall apply only to employees of the Fed-
8 eral Emergency Management Agency or civil defense offi-
9 cers who are injured or die in the line of duty on or after
10 such date.

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